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SUBJ: JOINT PRESS STATEMENT AT CONCLUSION OF AMBASSDOR

RICHARDSON'S LOS CONSULTATIONS IN JAKARTA

FOLLOWING IS JOINT PRESS STATEMET, ISSUED AT CONCLUSION OF

AMBASSADOR RICHARDSON'S LOS INTER-SESSIONAL

CONSULTATIONS IN JAKARTA MID-DAY APRIL 1:

BEGIN TEXT. AS THE CONTINUATION OF AN EXCHANGE OF  
VIEWS ON MATTERS RELATING TO THE LAW OF THE SEA CONFERENCE,  
DELEGATIONS OF INDONESIA AND THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA MET  
IN JAKRTA MARCH 31-APRIL 1,1977.

THE INDONESIANDELEGATION WAS LED BY H.E. PROF.DR.MOCHTAR  
KUSUMAATMADJA,MINISTER OF JUSTICE AND THE US DELEGATION WAS  
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LED BY THE HON.ELLIOT RICHARDSON. AMBASSADOR-AT-LARGE. THE  
TALKS WERE HELD IN AN ATMOSPHERE OF MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING  
AND FRIENDSHIP.

THE TWO DELEGATIONS ATTACHED GREAT IMPORTANCE TO THE  
LAW OF THE SEA CONFERENCE AND AGREED TO TAKE AN ACTIVE  
INTEREST IN ITS WORK IN ORDER TO ACHIEVE A COMPREHENSIVE  
TREATY THAT EQUITABLY ACCOMMODATES THE INTERESTS OF ALL NATIONS.

THE TWO SIDES EXCHANGED VIEWS ON ISSUES WHICH WILL BE  
FORMALLY CONSIDERED IN THE RESUMED LAW OF THE SEA CONFERENCE  
IN NEW YORK IN MAY 1977.

THE TWO SIDES REVIEWED POSTIONS WITH RESPECT TO THE  
ARCHIPELAGIC STATE PRINCIPLES AND THE PRINCIPLES OF TRANSIT  
PASSAGE THROUGH STRAITS USED FOR INTERNATIONAL NAVIGATION WITH  
THE OBJECTIVE OF FURTHERING AN UNDERSTANDING OF RESPECTIVE  
VIEWS IN ADVANCE OF THE CONFERENCE. BOTH SIDES AGREED THAT  
THIS FURTHER EXCHANGE WAS A SIGNIFICANT STEP TOWARD ACCOMMODATION  
OF THEIR RESPECTIVE VIEWS ON THESE MATTERS AND THEREBY CON-  
TRIBUTED TO BROAD UNDERSTANDING ON THE IMPORTANT INTERNATIONAL  
ISSUES ENCOMAPSSSED BY THE LAW OF THE SEA TREATY.

IT WAS AGREED THAT THE TWO SIDES WOULD CONTINUE THEIR  
CONSULTATIONS IN THE COURSE OF THE FORTHCOMING CONFERENCE.

END TEXT.

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